

2.9 VSTATPS Specifications Screen

Introduction

The VSTATPS Specification screen displays select fields from the VSTATPS data set (CENTRAL.VSTATPS). This data set contains information relative to each statistical period for a survey. Correctable fields on this screen are limited to users with MGMTPRIV = 'P'. This screen allows you to:

- View/set a flag to indicate whether or not data may be corrected for a particular stat period.
- View/set a flag to indicate whether a particular stat period has been “closed-out”.
- View/set the latest allowable extension date that a respondent may be granted for a particular stat period.

Accessing the Screen(s)

- ! Click on the SURVEY SPECIFICATIONS button from the StEPS Main Menu.
- ! Click on the OTHER SPECIFICATIONS button from the Survey Specifications Menu.
- ! Select “VSTATPS Specifications” to display the following:

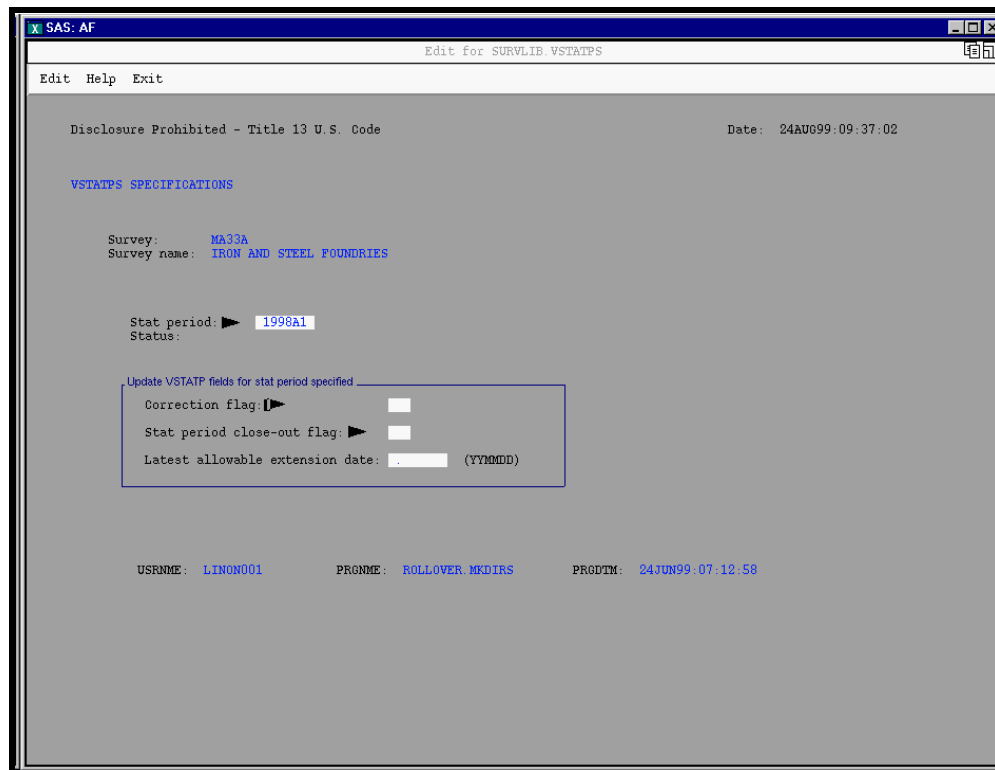


Figure 2.9 VSTATPS Specification Screen

Screen Features

Survey

- ! Survey identifier of survey currently being processed.
- ! Field not correctable.
- ! To change the survey, you must access the Survey Selection screen from USER SETUP (See Chapter 1.1)

Survey Name

- ! Name of survey currently being processed.
- ! Field not correctable.

Stat Period

Denotes the survey period for the information displayed on the screen.

NOTE: New stat periods can only be added to this file by the StEPS programmers. Most likely, this will be done at “Rollover” when new data files are created for the next stat period to be processed.

Status

Flag to indicate whether or not a particular stat period is active or inactive for a given survey.

A	Stat period is active.
N	Stat period is not active.

Correction Flag

! Flag to indicate whether or not data can be updated for a particular stat period. (This flag is used in the Review and Correction module to control updates to prior stat period data.)

U	Users with DATAPRIV = ‘U’ or ‘P’ may update data for this stat period.
P	Only users with DATAPRIV = ‘P’ may update data for this stat period.
N	No one, regardless of privileges, may update data for this stat period.
Blank	Default to same value as ‘U’.

! Only users with MGMTPRIV = ‘P’ may edit this field.

Stat Period Close-out Flag

! Flag to indicate that the stat period has been “closed out” and that no more batch updates will be performed.

Y	Stat period is “closed out”.
N	Stat period is <u>not</u> “closed out”.
Blank	Default to same value as ‘N’.

! Only users with MGMTPRIV = ‘P’ may edit this field.

Latest Allowable Extension Date

- ! Indicates the latest allowable extension date that a respondent may be granted for a particular stat period.
 - ! Date must be entered in YYMMDD format, (where 'YY' = year, 'MM' = month, and 'DD' = day).
 - ! Only users with MGMTPRIV = 'P' may edit this field.
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USRNME (User Name)

The name of the user who last corrected (interactively) any variable for this record.

PRGNME (Program Name)

The name of the routine or program that last updated this record.

PRGDTM (Program Date and Time Stamp)

The date that a routine or program last updated this record.

P-Menus

P-Menu	Options	Function
EDIT	Apply corrections (F2)	Apply corrections to database
HELP	VSTATPS Specification Help (F1) WhoamI (F7)	Display HELP information on using the VSTATPS Specification screen Display user default and systems information
EXIT	StEPS Main Menu (Home) Exit (F3)	Return to StEPS Main Menu Exit to previous screen